

THE CITY OF WINNIPEG

REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL

RFP NO. 962-2014

SUPPY AND DELIVERY OF AN AERIAL LADDER PLATFORM

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PART B - BIDDING PROCEDURES

B1. CONTRACT TITLE

B1.1 SUPPY AND DELIVERY OF AN AERIAL LADDER PLATFORM

B2. SUBMISSION DEADLINE

- B2.1 The Submission Deadline is 4:00 p.m. Winnipeg time, November 27, 2014.
- B2.2 Proposals determined by the Manager of Materials to have been received later than the Submission Deadline will not be accepted and will be returned upon request.
- B2.3 The Contract Administrator or the Manager of Materials may extend the Submission Deadline by issuing an addendum at any time prior to the time and date specified in B2.1.

B3. ENQUIRIES

- B3.1 All enquiries shall be directed to the Contract Administrator identified in D4.
- B3.2 If the Bidder finds errors, discrepancies or omissions in the Request for Proposal, or is unsure of the meaning or intent of any provision therein, the Bidder shall promptly notify the Contract Administrator of the error, discrepancy or omission at least five (5) Business Days prior to the Submission Deadline.
- B3.3 If the Bidder is unsure of the meaning or intent of any provision therein, the Bidder should request clarification as to the meaning or intent prior to the Submission Deadline.
- B3.4 Responses to enquiries which, in the sole judgment of the Contract Administrator, require a correction to or a clarification of the Request for Proposal will be provided by the Contract Administrator to all Bidders by issuing an addendum.
- B3.5 Responses to enquiries which, in the sole judgment of the Contract Administrator, do not require a correction to or a clarification of the Request for Proposal will be provided by the Contract Administrator only to the Bidder who made the enquiry.
- B3.6 The Bidder shall not be entitled to rely on any response or interpretation received pursuant to B3 unless that response or interpretation is provided by the Contract Administrator in writing.

B4. CONFIDENTIALITY

- B4.1 Information provided to a Bidder by the City or acquired by a Bidder by way of further enquiries or through investigation is confidential. Such information shall not be used or disclosed in any way without the prior written authorization of the Contract Administrator. The use and disclosure of the confidential information shall not apply to information which:
 - (a) was known to the Bidder before receipt hereof; or
 - (b) becomes publicly known other than through the Bidder; or
 - (c) is disclosed pursuant to the requirements of a governmental authority or judicial order.
- B4.2 The Bidder shall not make any statement of fact or opinion regarding any aspect of the Bid Opportunity to the media or any member of the public without the prior written authorization of the Contract Administrator.

B5. ADDENDA

B5.1 The Contract Administrator may, at any time prior to the Submission deadline, issue addenda correcting errors, discrepancies or omissions in the Request for Proposal, or clarifying the meaning or intent of any provision therein.

- B5.2 The Contract Administrator will issue each addendum at least two (2) Business Days prior to the Submission Deadline, or provide at least two (2) Business Days by extending the Submission Deadline.
- B5.2.1 Addenda will be available on the Bid Opportunities page at The City of Winnipeg, Corporate Finance, Materials Management Division website at http://www.winnipeg.ca/matmgt/bidopp.asp
- B5.2.2 The Bidder is responsible for ensuring that he/she has received all addenda and is advised to check the Materials Management Division website for addenda regularly and shortly before the Submission Deadline, as may be amended by addendum.
- B5.3 The Bidder shall acknowledge receipt of each addendum in Paragraph 9 of Form A: Proposal. Failure to acknowledge receipt of an addendum may render a Proposal non-responsive.

B6. SUBSTITUTES

- B6.1 The Work is based on the materials, equipment, methods and products specified in the Request for Proposal.
- B6.2 Substitutions shall not be allowed unless application has been made to and prior approval has been granted by the Contract Administrator in writing.
- B6.3 Requests for approval of a substitute will not be considered unless received in writing by the Contract Administrator at least seven (7) Business Days prior to the Submission Deadline.
- B6.4 The Bidder shall ensure that any and all requests for approval of a substitute:
 - (a) provide sufficient information and details to enable the Contract Administrator to determine the acceptability of the material, equipment, method or product as either an approved equal or alternative;
 - (b) identify any and all changes required in the applicable Work, and all changes to any other Work, which would become necessary to accommodate the substitute;
 - (c) identify any anticipated cost or time savings that may be associated with the substitute;
 - (d) certify that, in the case of a request for approval as an approved equal, the substitute will fully perform the functions called for by the general design, be of equal or superior substance to that specified, is suited to the same use and capable of performing the same function as that specified and can be incorporated into the Work, strictly in accordance with the Contract;
 - (e) certify that, in the case of a request for approval as an approved alternative, the substitute will adequately perform the functions called for by the general design, be similar in substance to that specified, is suited to the same use and capable of performing the same function as that specified and can be incorporated into the Work, strictly in accordance with the Contract.
- B6.5 The Contract Administrator, after assessing the request for approval of a substitute, may in his/her sole discretion grant approval for the use of a substitute as an "approved equal" or as an "approved alternative", or may refuse to grant approval of the substitute.
- B6.6 The Contract Administrator will provide a response in writing, at least two (2) Business Days prior to the Submission Deadline, to the Bidder who requested approval of the substitute.
- B6.6.1 The Contract Administrator will issue an Addendum, disclosing the approved materials, equipment, methods and products to all potential Bidders. The Bidder requesting and obtaining the approval of a substitute shall be responsible for disseminating information regarding the approval to any person or persons he/she wishes to inform.
- B6.7 If the Contract Administrator approves a substitute as an "approved equal", any Bidder may use the approved equal in place of the specified item.

- B6.8 If the Contract Administrator approves a substitute as an "approved alternative", any Bidder bidding that approved alternative may base his/her Total Bid Price upon the specified item but may also indicate an alternative price based upon the approved alternative. Such alternatives will be evaluated in accordance with B21.
- B6.9 No later claim by the Contractor for an addition to the price(s) because of any other changes in the Work necessitated by the use of an approved equal or an approved alternative will be considered.
- B6.10 Notwithstanding B6.2 to B6.9 and in accordance with B7.7, deviations inconsistent with the Request for Proposal document shall be evaluated in accordance with B21.1(a).

B7. PROPOSAL SUBMISSION

- B7.1 The Proposal shall consist of the following components:
 - (a) Form A: Proposal;
 - (b) Form B: Prices;
 - (c) Form N: Detailed Specifications 14039.
- B7.2 The Proposal should consist of the following components:
 - (a) Warranty (Item 38.0 on Form N: Detailed Specifications);
 - (b) Serviceability;
 - (c) Gross Vehicle Weight;
 - (d) Delivery (Item 36.1 on Form N: Detailed Specifications).
- B7.3 Further to B7.1, the Bidder should include the written correspondence from the Contract Administrator approving a substitute in accordance with B6.
- B7.4 All components of the Proposal shall be fully completed or provided, and submitted by the Bidder no later than the Submission Deadline, with all required entries made clearly and completely, to constitute a responsive Proposal.
- B7.4.1 Bidders should submit one (1) unbound original (marked "original") and two (2) copies.
- B7.5 The Proposal Submission shall be submitted enclosed and sealed in an envelope clearly marked with the RFP number and the Bidder's name and address.
- B7.5.1 Samples or other components of the Proposal Submission which cannot reasonably be enclosed in the envelope may be packaged separately, but shall be clearly marked with the RFP number, the Bidder's name and address, and an indication that the contents are part of the Bidder's Proposal Submission.
- B7.6 Bidders are advised not to include any information/literature except as requested in accordance with B7.1.
- B7.7 Bidders are advised that inclusion of terms and conditions inconsistent with the Request for Proposal document, including the General Conditions, will be evaluated in accordance with B21.1(a).
- B7.8 Proposals submitted by facsimile transmission (fax) or internet electronic mail (e-mail) will not be accepted.
- B7.9 Proposals shall be submitted to:

The City of Winnipeg Corporate Finance Department Materials Management Division 185 King Street, Main Floor Winnipeg MB R3B 1J1

B8. PROPOSAL

- B8.1 The Bidder shall complete Form A: Proposal, making all required entries.
- B8.2 Paragraph 2 of Form A: Proposal shall be completed in accordance with the following requirements:
 - (a) if the Bidder is a sole proprietor carrying on business in his/her own name, his/her name shall be inserted;
 - (b) if the Bidder is a partnership, the full name of the partnership shall be inserted;
 - (c) if the Bidder is a corporation, the full name of the corporation shall be inserted;
 - (d) if the Bidder is carrying on business under a name other than his/her own, the business name and the name of every partner or corporation who is the owner of such business name shall be inserted.
- B8.2.1 If a Proposal is submitted jointly by two or more persons, each and all such persons shall identify themselves in accordance with B8.2.
- B8.3 In Paragraph 3 of Form A: Proposal, the Bidder shall identify a contact person who is authorized to represent the Bidder for purposes of the Proposal.
- B8.4 Paragraph 11 of Form A: Proposal shall be signed in accordance with the following requirements:
 - (a) if the Bidder is a sole proprietor carrying on business in his/her own name, it shall be signed by the Bidder;
 - (b) if the Bidder is a partnership, it shall be signed by the partner or partners who have authority to sign for the partnership;
 - (c) if the Bidder is a corporation, it shall be signed by its duly authorized officer or officers and the corporate seal, if the corporation has one, should be affixed;
 - (d) if the Bidder is carrying on business under a name other than his/her own, it shall be signed by the registered owner of the business name, or by the registered owner's authorized officials if the owner is a partnership or a corporation.
- B8.4.1 The name and official capacity of all individuals signing Form A: Proposal should be printed below such signatures.
- B8.5 If a Proposal is submitted jointly by two or more persons, the word "Bidder" shall mean each and all such persons, and the undertakings, covenants and obligations of such joint Bidders in the Proposal and the Contract, when awarded, shall be both joint and several.

B9. PRICES

- B9.1 The Bidder shall state a price in Canadian funds for each item of the Work identified on Form B: Prices.
- B9.1.1 Prices on Form B: Prices shall include:
 - (a) duty;
 - (b) freight and cartage;
 - (c) Provincial and Federal taxes [except the Goods and Services Tax (GST) and Manitoba Retail Sales Tax (MRST, also known as PST), which shall be extra where applicable] and all charges governmental or otherwise paid;
 - (d) profit and all compensation which shall be due to the Contractor for the Work and all risks and contingencies connected therewith.
- B9.2 The quantities listed on Form B: Prices are to be considered approximate only. The City will use said quantities for the purpose of comparing Proposals.

- B9.3 The quantities for which payment will be made to the Contractor are to be determined by the Work actually performed and completed by the Contractor, to be measured as specified in the applicable Specifications.
- B9.4 Where applicable to the Request for Proposal, payments for services to Non-Resident Bidders are subject to a Non-Resident Withholding Tax pursuant to the Income Tax Act (Canada).

B10. QUALIFICATION

- B10.1 The Bidder shall:
 - (a) undertake to be in good standing under The Corporations Act (Manitoba), or properly registered under The Business Names Registration Act (Manitoba), or otherwise properly registered, licensed or permitted by law to carry on business in Manitoba, or if the Bidder does not carry on business in Manitoba, in the jurisdiction where the Bidder does carry on business; and
 - (b) be financially capable of carrying out the terms of the Contract; and
 - (c) have all the necessary experience, capital, organization, and equipment to perform the Work in strict accordance with the terms and provisions of the Contract.
- B10.2 The Bidder and any proposed Subcontractor (for the portion of the Work proposed to be subcontracted to them) shall:
 - (a) be responsible and not be suspended, debarred or in default of any obligations to the City. A list of suspended or debarred individuals and companies is available on the Information Connection page at The City of Winnipeg, Corporate Finance, Materials Management Division website at <u>http://www.winnipeg.ca/matmgt/debar.stm</u>
- B10.3 The Bidder and/or any proposed Subcontractor (for the portion of the Work proposed to be subcontracted to them) shall:
 - (a) have successfully carried out work similar in nature, scope and value to the Work; and
 - (b) be fully capable of performing the Work required to be in strict accordance with the terms and provisions of the Contract; and
 - (c) have a written workplace safety and health program, if required, pursuant to The Workplace Safety and Health Act (Manitoba);
- B10.4 The Bidder shall submit, within three (3) Business Days of a request by the Contract Administrator, proof satisfactory to the Contract Administrator of the qualifications of the Bidder and of any proposed Subcontractor.
- B10.5 The Bidder shall provide, on the request of the Contract Administrator, full access to any of the Bidder's equipment and facilities to confirm, to the Contract Administrator's satisfaction, that the Bidder's equipment and facilities are adequate to perform the Work.

B11. WARRANTY

- B11.1 The Bidder should provide
 - (a) a comprehensive list of applicable warranties;
 - (b) a list of past performance of servicing warranties; and
 - (c) their ability to provide a corrosion resistance program.

B12. SERVICABILITY

- B12.1 The Bidder should provide:
 - (a) the location of their service facility, in proximity to the Emergency Mechanical Services Branch at 2546 McPhillips Street; and

- (b) their ability to provide a 7 day x 24 hour warranty service response;
- (c) ability to provide initial warranty response within one hour; and
- (d) single point of contact for all service related requirements.

B13. GROSS VEHICLE WEIGHT

- B13.1 The Bidder should state:
 - (a) the vehicle tare weight,;
 - (b) availability of air ride suspension, and;
 - (c) approximate axle weight and ratios.

B14. DELIVERY

(a) The Bidder should state a delivery date at Item 36.1 on Form N: Detailed Specifications, which shall be within 90 days of award of Contract.

B15. OPENING OF PROPOSALS AND RELEASE OF INFORMATION

- B15.1 Proposals will not be opened publicly.
- B15.2 After award of Contract, the names of the Bidders and the Contract amount of the successful Bidder will be available on the Closed Bid Opportunities (or Public/Posted Opening & Award Results) page at The City of Winnipeg, Corporate Finance, Materials Management Division website at http://www.winnipeg.ca/matmgt/
- B15.3 To the extent permitted, the City shall treat all Proposal as confidential, however the Bidder is advised that any information contained in any Proposal Submission may be released if required by City policy or procedures, by The Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act (Manitoba), by other authorities having jurisdiction, or by law.

B16. ELIGIBILITY

- B16.1 Organizations provided investigative services with respect to this Bid Opportunity. In the City's opinion, these relationships or associations do not create a conflict of interest or will not likely create a perception of conflict of interest because of this disclosure. The organizations are:
 - (i) Fort Garry Fire Trucks;
 - (ii) E-One Fire Trucks.

B17. IRREVOCABLE OFFER

- B17.1 The Proposal(s) submitted by the Bidder shall be irrevocable for the time period specified in Paragraph 10 of Form A: Proposal.
- B17.2 The acceptance by the City of any Proposal shall not release the Proposals of the other responsive Bidders and these Bidders shall be bound by their offers on such Work for the time period specified in Paragraph 10 of Form A: Proposal.

B18. WITHDRAWAL OF OFFERS

- B18.1 A Bidder may withdraw his/her Proposal without penalty by giving written notice to the Manager of Materials at any time prior to the Submission Deadline.
- B18.1.1 Notwithstanding C21, the time and date of receipt of any notice withdrawing a Proposal shall be the time and date of receipt as determined by the Manager of Materials.

- B18.1.2 The City will assume that any one of the contact persons named in Paragraph 3 of Form A: Proposal or the Bidder's authorized representatives named in Paragraph 11 of Form A: Proposal, and only such person, has authority to give notice of withdrawal.
- B18.1.3 If a Bidder gives notice of withdrawal prior to the Submission Deadline, the Manager of Materials will:
 - (a) retain the Proposal until after the Submission Deadline has elapsed;
 - (b) open the Proposal to identify the contact person named in Paragraph 3 of Form A: Proposal and the Bidder's authorized representatives named in Paragraph 11 of Form A: Proposal; and
 - (c) if the notice has been given by any one of the persons specified in B18.1.3(b), declare the Proposal withdrawn.
- B18.2 A Bidder who withdraws his/her Proposal after the Submission Deadline but before his/her offer has been released or has lapsed as provided for in B17.2 shall be liable for such damages as are imposed upon the Bidder by law and subject to such sanctions as the Chief Administrative Officer considers appropriate in the circumstances. The City, in such event, shall be entitled to all rights and remedies available to it at law.

B19. INTERVIEWS

B19.1 The Contract Administrator may, in his/her sole discretion, interview Bidders during the evaluation process.

B20. NEGOTIATIONS

- B20.1 The City reserves the right to negotiate details of the Contract with any Bidder. Bidders are advised to present their best offer, not a starting point for negotiations in their Proposal Submission.
- B20.2 The City may negotiate with the Bidders submitting, in the City's opinion, the most advantageous Proposals. The City may enter into negotiations with one or more Bidders without being obligated to offer the same opportunity to any other Bidders. Negotiations may be concurrent and will involve each Bidder individually. The City shall incur no liability to any Bidder as a result of such negotiations.
- B20.3 If, in the course of negotiations pursuant to B20.2 or otherwise, the Bidder amends or modifies a Proposal after the Submission Deadline, the City may consider the amended Proposal as an alternative to the Proposal already submitted without releasing the Bidder from the Proposal as originally submitted.

B21. EVALUATION OF PROPOSALS

- B21.1 Award of the Contract shall be based on the following evaluation criteria:
 - (a) compliance by the Bidder with the requirements of the Request for Proposal or acceptable deviation therefrom:

(b)	qualifications of the Bidder and the Subcontractors, if any, pursuant to B10	(pass/fail):
(c)	Bid Price	20 points
(d)	Warranty	15 points
(e)	Serviceability	25 points
(f)	Gross Vehicle Weight	15 points
(g)	Delivery	25 points
(h)	economic analysis of any anaroused alternative pursuant to DG	

(h) economic analysis of any approved alternative pursuant to B6;

- B21.2 Further to B21.1(a), the Award Authority may reject a Proposal as being non-responsive if the Proposal Submission is incomplete, obscure or conditional, or contains additions, deletions, alterations or other irregularities. The Award Authority may reject all or any part of any Proposal, or waive technical requirements or minor informalities or irregularities if the interests of the City so require.
- B21.3 Further to B21.1(b), the Award Authority shall reject any Proposal submitted by a Bidder who does not demonstrate, in his/her Proposal, in other information required to be submitted, during interviews or in the course of reference checks, that he/she is responsible and qualified.
- B21.4 Further to B21.1(c), the Bid Price shall be the sum of the quantities multiplied by the unit prices for each item shown on Form B: Prices.
- B21.5 Further to B21.1(d), Warranty will be evaluated considering the Bidder's response to B11; as follows:

(a)	Comprehensive List of Applicable Warranties	(5 Points)
(b)	Past Performance in servicing Warranties	(5 Points)
(c)	Provision of a Corrosion Resistance Program	(5 Points)

B21.6 Further to B21.1(e) Serviceability will be evaluated considering the Bidder's response to B12; and as follows:

(a)	Approved Service Facility nearby EMSB	(10 Points)
(b)	7 Day / 24 Hour Warranty Service Response	(10 Points)

- (c) Initial Warranty Response within one hour (5 Points)
- B21.7 Further to B21.1(f) Gross Vehicle Weight will be evaluated considering the Bidder's response to B13 and as follows:

(a)	Lightest Apparatus GVW possible	(5 Points)
(b)	Air Ride Suspension to maximize durability	(5 Points)
(c)	Appropriate axel weights and ratios	(5 Points)

B21.8 Further to B21.1(g) Delivery will be not more than 90 days, and evaluated considering the Bidder's response to 35.1 of Form N: Detailed Specifications, B14, and as follows:

(a)	Delivery within 45 Days	(25 Points)
(b)	Delivery between 46 – 60 Days	(15 Points)
(c)	Delivery 61 – 90 Days	(5 Points)
(d)	Delivery after 90 Days	(Fail)

- B21.9 This Contract will be awarded as a whole.
- B21.10 If, in the sole opinion of the City, a Proposal does not achieve a pass rating for B21.1(a) and B21.1(b), the Proposal will be determined to be non-responsive and will not be further evaluated.

B22. AWARD OF CONTRACT

- B22.1 The City will give notice of the award of the Contract or will give notice that no award will be made.
- B22.2 The City will have no obligation to award a Contract to a Bidder, even though one or all of the Bidders are determined to be responsible and qualified, and the Proposals are determined to be responsive.
- B22.2.1 Without limiting the generality of B22.2, the City will have no obligation to award a Contract where:

- (a) the prices exceed the available City funds for the Work;
- (b) the prices are materially in excess of the prices received for similar work in the past;
- (c) the prices are materially in excess of the City's cost to perform the Work, or a significant portion thereof, with its own forces;
- (d) only one Proposal is received; or
- (e) in the judgment of the Award Authority, the interests of the City would best be served by not awarding a Contract.
- B22.3 Where an award of Contract is made by the City, the award shall be made to the responsible and qualified Bidder submitting the most advantageous offer, in accordance with B21.
- B22.4 Notwithstanding C4 and Paragraph 6 of Form A: Proposal, the City may issue a purchase order to the successful Bidder in lieu of the execution of a Contract.
- B22.5 The Contract Documents, as defined in C1.1(n) (ii), in their entirety shall be deemed to be incorporated in and to form a part of the purchase order notwithstanding that they are not necessarily attached to or accompany said purchase order.

PART C - GENERAL CONDITIONS

- C0.1 The *General Conditions for the Supply of Goods* (Revision 2008 05 26) are applicable to the Work of the Contract.
- C0.1.1 The General Conditions for the Supply of Goods are available on the Information Connection page at The City of Winnipeg, Corporate Finance, Materials Management Division website at http://www.winnipeg.ca/matmgt/gen_cond.stm
- C0.1.2 A reference in the Request for Proposal to a section, clause or subclause with the prefix "**C**" designates a section, clause or subclause in the *General Conditions for Supply of Goods*.

PART D - SUPPLEMENTAL CONDITIONS

GENERAL

D1. GENERAL CONDITIONS

- D1.1 In addition to the *General Conditions for the Supply of Goods*, these Supplemental Conditions are applicable to the Work of the Contract.
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D2. SCOPE OF WORK

- D2.1 The Work to be done under the Contract shall consist of supply and delivery of an aerial platform.
- D2.2 Further to C7 if at any time during the sixty (60) month period following the award of the Contract, the City, may purchase one hundred percent (100%) of the original Contract quantity per year as Extra Work at the unit prices set out in the Contract. The Contractor may decline to supply the additional quantities without penalty. The City will allow a maximum of CPI Canadian (CDN) plus 1% per year up to five (5) years. <u>A consumer price index (Manitoba</u> <u>Transportation Sector) (CPI)</u> measures changes in the price level of consumer goods and services purchased by households. The CPI in the United States is defined by the <u>Bureau of Labor Statistics</u> as "a measure of the average change over time in the prices paid by urban consumers for a <u>market basket</u> of consumer goods and services".

D3. DEFINITIONS

- D3.1 When used in this Bid Opportunity:
 - (a) "Equipment" or "Vehicle" shall be used to describe Aerial Ladder Platform.

D4. CONTRACT ADMINISTRATOR

D4.1 The Contract Administrator is:

Kevin Moniz Coordinator of Equipment Specifications Telephone No.: 204 986-8273 e-mail address: <u>kmoniz@winnipeg.ca</u>

D4.2 Bids Submissions must be submitted to the address in B7.9.

D5. NOTICES

D5.1 Notwithstanding C21.3 all notices of appeal to the Chief Administrative Officer shall be sent to the attention of the Chief Financial Officer at the following facsimile number:

The City of Winnipeg Chief Financial Officer Facsimile No.: 204 949-1174

D6. OWNERSHIP OF INFORMATION, CONFIDENTIALITY AND NON DISCLOSURE

D6.1 The Contract, all deliverables produced or developed, and information provided to or acquired by the Contractor are the property of the City and shall not be appropriated for the Contractors own use, or for the use of any third party.

- D6.2 The Contractor shall not make any public announcements or press releases regarding the Contract, without the prior written authorization of the Contract Administrator.
- D6.3 The following shall be confidential and shall not be disclosed by the Contractor to the media or any member of the public without the prior written authorization of the Contract Administrator;
 - (a) information provided to the Contractor by the City or acquired by the Contractor during the course of the Work;
 - (b) the Contract, all deliverables produced or developed; and
 - (c) any statement of fact or opinion regarding any aspect of the Contract.
- D6.4 A Contractor who violates any provision of D6 may be determined to be in breach of Contract.

SUBMISSIONS

D7. AUTHORITY TO CARRY ON BUSINESS

D7.1 The Contractor shall be in good standing under The Corporations Act (Manitoba), or properly registered under The Business Names Registration Act (Manitoba), or otherwise properly registered, licensed or permitted by law to carry on business in Manitoba, or if the Contractor does not carry on business in Manitoba, in the jurisdiction where the Contractor does carry on business, throughout the term of the Contract, and shall provide the Contract Administrator with evidence thereof upon request.

D8. COMMENCEMENT

- D8.1 The Contractor shall not commence any Work until he/she is in receipt of a notice of award from the City authorizing the commencement of the Work.
- D8.2 The Contractor shall not commence any Work until:
 - (a) the Contract Administrator has confirmed receipt and approval of:
 - (i) evidence of authority to carry on business specified in D7;
 - (b) the Contractor has attended a meeting with the Contract Administrator, or the Contract Administrator has waived the requirement for a meeting.

D9. DELIVERY

- D9.1 <u>Delivery Point</u>- The vehicle shall be serviced, ready for operation and delivered F.O.B. with the freight prepaid, including invoice and N.I.V.S.(if applicable) to the WFMA 185 Tecumseh Street, Winnipeg MB.
- D9.2 <u>Delivery Arrival Time</u>- Equipment shall be delivered between 8:00 am and 3:00 pm on Business Days
- D9.3 <u>Delivery Contact</u>- The Contractor shall contact the Contract Administrator prior to delivery of the equipment
- D9.4 <u>P.D.I</u>- A pre-delivery inspection shall be performed by the Contractor on the equipment. Proof upon inspection including completed check list.

D10. LIQUIDATED DAMAGES

D10.1 If the Contractor fails to achieve delivery of the Goods within the time specified at 35.1 on Form N: Detailed Specifications and in accordance with B14, the Contractor shall pay the City three hundred dollars (\$300.00) per Calendar Day for each and every Calendar Day until the Goods have been delivered.

- D10.2 The amount specified for liquidated damages in D10.1 is based on a genuine pre-estimate of the City's damages in the event that the Contractor does not achieve Delivery by the day fixed herein for same.
- D10.3 The City may reduce any payment to the Contractor by the amount of any liquidated damages assessed.

MEASUREMENT AND PAYMENT

D11. INVOICES

D11.1 Further to C10, the Contractor shall submit an invoice for each order delivered to:

The City of Winnipeg Corporate Finance - Accounts Payable 4th Floor, Administration Building, 510 Main Street Winnipeg MB R3B 1B9

Facsimile No.: 204 949-0864 Email: <u>CityWpgAP@winnipeg.ca</u>

- D11.2 Invoices must clearly indicate, as a minimum:
 - (a) the City's purchase order number;
 - (b) date of delivery;
 - (c) delivery address;
 - (d) type and quantity of goods delivered;
 - (e) the amount payable with GST, MRST, and any applicable environmental handling charges/fees identified and shown as separate amounts; and
 - (f) the Contractor's GST registration number.
- D11.3 The City will bear no responsibility for delays in approval of invoices which are improperly submitted.
- D11.4 Bids Submissions must be submitted to the address in B7.9.

D12. PAYMENT

D12.1 Further to C10, the City may at its option pay the Contractor by direct deposit to the Contractor's banking institution.

D13. PARTS AVAILABILITY

- D13.1 In order to assure minimum downtime of the Equipment, the Contractor shall maintain a stock of all replacement parts in North America, either in his own inventory or in that of an agency that normally supplies parts to the Contractor, for a period of ten (10) years.
- D13.1.1 Further to D11.1, if replacement parts are not available within the ten (10) years, and the City is required to build or acquire parts by their own means, the Contractor may be charged back 100% of the parts replacement costs.
- D13.2 Parts shall be made available to the Winnipeg Fire Paramedic Service Emergency Mechanical Services Branch, by the Contractor, within three (3) Business Days from a request by the Contract Administrator or designate.
- D13.3 Where Equipment is not available for use due to the Contractor's failure to supply parts in accordance with D11.2, the failure to supply parts may be determined to be an Event of Default in accordance with C16.

WARRANTY

D14. WARRANTY

- D14.1 Notwithstanding C11, and the warranties specified in the Form N: Detailed Specifications applicable to the unit, the warranty period for each piece of Equipment supplied shall begin on the date of successful completion of the inspection process or when the equipment has been successfully placed into operation.
- D14.2 All incidental warranty related costs (including, but not limited to, Contractor's travel, mileage, deductibles, towing costs, etc.) in executing any part of the warranty shall be the sole responsibility of the Contractor.
- D14.3 Equipment that is not available for use due to warranty related issues shall be rectified within three (3) Business Days from the time of notification of failure. If the warranty related failure is not rectified within the three (3) Business Day period, the failure will be considered an Event of Default in accordance with C16.